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Call and inspect our New
Spring and Summer Coats
The Styles and patterns are fifty this season
and prices reasonable.

For the Boys—

Just added new line of Boy's Clothing. Smart styles
at low prices.

Just received shipment of Misses Tan Sandals at \$1.75
Child's Tan Sandals \$1.50 pair Infants Tan Sandals
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for Hot weather. A call will convince you. We are
bound to please with price and quality.

P. W. HART

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We carry full line of tires and other ac-
cessories, and a complete stock of Ford parts
at Oyen and Sibbald.

Cars are now difficult to get and to in-
sure delivery this summer we should like to
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Assures you that your printing job is correct in
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Screen Doors at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, and \$2.50. All sizes in stock.
Extension Window Screens 15c each. Screen door clasp 25c.
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Puritan Blue Flame Oil Stoves. 2 burner size \$12.50, 3 burner
size \$15.00. 4 burner size \$17.50. Perfection Junior 1 burner
Blue Flame \$5.50. Clark's Jewel Blue Flame Stoves, two
burner size \$15.00, 3 burner \$17.50. Perfection
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Family Safety Coal Oil 55c gallon. Gasoline 44c etc. Special
prices in quantities. Machine Oil 60c gallon. Pololine
15c gallon. French Auto Oil 10c gallon.

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Martin-Senour Barn Paint. House and Floor Paint.

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QUALITY SERVICE COURTESY

Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.

John Patterson, Managing Director.

Local Items

Miss Hattie Clough, left last
week for McLeod.

Rev. F. Webster is attending
the Methodist Conference in
Calgary.

A meeting of the Independ-
ent Electors of the Oyen dis-
trict will be held in the Meth-
odist Church, Oyen, on Monday
evening, June 4th, at eight o'-
clock. See notice and letter to
electors on back page.

P. W. Hart spent Empire Day
in Calgary.

T. M. Bole of the staff of the
Bank of Toronto was called to
Yorkton Sunday as his sister is
seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morrow of
Alaska were in town Monday.

E. J. Clough was fined nine-
teen dollars and costs last Sat-
urday on a charge of writing a
defamatory letter to a former
teacher of the Edendale school
in the Acadia Valley.

The local enthusiasts have
occasion to enjoy themselves as
Charley Wilson has opened up
a twin bowling alley.

A Curling Club dance will be
given on June fourth in the
Peterson Garage.

J. H. Alexander left today for
Calgary.

Stanley Campbell of Sibbald
was in town Thursday.

Mrs. M. McGee is now residing
in Calgary.

Mrs. Wm. Affleck, who has
been very low, is now on the
way to better health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelly were in
Calgary this week.

Liberal Meeting

Rousing Speech by Premier Sifton

Last Tuesday evening in Pet-
erson Motor Co's garage a
crowded audience listened with
appreciation to political ad-
dresses given by our representa-
tive, J. A. McColl, also W.
Willing and Premier Sifton.

Mr. McColl, who was the first
speaker, gave a brief outline of
the Acts passed by the present
government, showing how the
Liberal Government had for-
warded the interests of the
homemaker and farmer of Al-
berta during the last four years.

A lively address followed by
Mr. Winning, who spoke in
glowing terms of Mr. McColl,
and said that he had known the
member for Acadia constitu-
ency for quite a number of
years, both being pioneers of
the west. Mr. McColl, he said,
was a long-life farmer and in
him the farmers had a repre-
sentative who had their inter-
ests at heart.

The chairman, Mr. J. J. Kelly
then introduced Premier Sifton
who arose to his feet amid an
enthusiastic cheer. The Premier,
in an eloquent address, told
what the Government had done
in regard to Woman Suffrage,
that they now not only had
the right to vote but also equal
rights with men in holding any
office in the parliament of Al-
berta. He also showed what
the present Government had
done in the building of railways
and telephones in the province,
and how that so much steel and
wire was required to carry on
the war and time it had even
been necessary to take up some
rails that had already been laid
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The Ladies

We have just received another ship-
ment of the Celebrated D & A Corsets.
These are now on our shelves and Our
Saleswoman will be pleased to show
them to you.

Men and Boys

We have something new for the Men
and Boys. Canvas and light leather
shoes with heavy rubber soles, cheaper
than leather and also as serviceable. Ask
to see them.

Our Grocery Department

A car of Five Roses Flour just unloaded

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The Oyen News - The Home Paper

"Punctuality the Soul of Business"

Big Ben Alarm Clocks

Call and see our full stock of alarm
clocks. The best on the market is the noted
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all sizes at the same price as the City stores.

We also have a full line of watches, fobs,
chains and a splendid assortment of ladies
jewelry.

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Farm Lands For Sale

Improved and unimproved Farm lands
for Sale at snap prices.

Prospective buyers will find it to their interest
to look over our list before purchasing elsewhere.
No trouble to show you over our holdings.

Money to Loan on Farm Lands
If you have a farm to sell list with us for quick sale.

J. HOWARD ALEXANDER,

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Men's Summer Underwear

We carry a full stock of Stanley's Summer Underwear in
two piece garments and combinations. Your choice of Bel-
brigan, French Merino or mercerized. At prices of \$1.00
to \$3.00 a suit.

Work Gloves and Gauntlets

Inspect our extra large stock of gloves and gauntlets; they're
made in the easy fitting style of good quality horsehide, pig-
skin, buck and other dependable leathers. 60c to 2.00 pair.

Men's Auto Gauntlets at \$2.75 and 3.00 pair

C. P. Johnston

Clothier

Art. Fry, Manager

Vote For J. A. McColl

The Farmers' Progressive

Liberal Candidate

AND

Good Government

ELECTION

Thursday, June 7th, 1917

EXCELSIOR
INSURANCE LIFE COMPANY
IS ISSUING a new policy contract which will give you **double** the rate for the same monthly income for life. Write for pamphlet.
HEAD OFFICE: TORONTO

Ships Never Safe

Warships Suffer in Times of Peace as Well as in War

The auctioneer first expressed in many quarters that the American navy would suffer disaster in the event of war has proved the Literary Digest to suggest that even in peaceful times naval disasters are not unknown to the United States. It then enumerates several that were suffered in 1916, claiming as contributory causes poor seamanship or negligence.

The submarine H-3 sank at the entrance to Humboldt bay, California and its attempted rescue involved the stranding and destruction of the cruiser Milwaukee, which was drawing a cable attached to the sunken submarine.

The armored cruiser Memphis, caught in a tropical storm, was wrecked on the rocks in the harbor of San Domingo City with a loss of 40 lives. The fuel ship Hector was wrecked in June of Charleston, S.C., while the mail ship S.S. Francisco struck a shoal near Chatham light and was tied up for repairs for several months. The destroyer Terry struck a reef off Puerto Rico, San Domingo, and was beached. And the fast ship Jupiter collided with an Italian bark and sank.

Court martials have been held for officers in charge of these disasters in several cases. Some have been found guilty of negligence or poor seamanship and have been demoted or driven. Others have been acquitted.

Two Washboards For the Price of One!

Both sides of EDDY'S Twin Beaver Washboard can be used—giving double service for the price of one. Made of **INDURATED FIREWARE** (which is really pure hardwood and baked by a special process) it cannot splinter or warp apart. Won't hurt your fingers or tear your clothes. Double value for your money—almost last forever. Don't do another washing until you get one.

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And How to Feed and Treat Them
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113 West 1st Street, New York

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It is the only French Remedy that has been tested by the French Government and found to be the most effective. It is the only French Remedy that has been tested by the French Government and found to be the most effective. It is the only French Remedy that has been tested by the French Government and found to be the most effective.

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LAUNDRY BILLS
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Arlington Collars and Cuffs
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The Insane Gorilla
The impetus of the gorilla soldier seem to come from a series of insane gorillas, rendered more diabolical by the possession of marvellous intelligence. It has become the daily note of England, France and Russia along the borders of all mankind, to scourge out the spirit of evil and restore safety to the earth.—New York Sun

"John, did you take the note to Mr. Jones?"
"Yes, but I don't think he can read it."
"Why so, John?"
"Because he is blind, sir. While war in the room he said me twice when my hat war, and it war on my head all the time."

"What dirty hands you have, John!" said his teacher.
"What would you say if I came to school today?"
"I wouldn't say nothing," replied Johnny. "I'd be too polite."

Sore Eyes
Granulated Eyelids. Run inflamed by eye diseases. They are everywhere and they are everywhere. They are everywhere and they are everywhere. They are everywhere and they are everywhere. They are everywhere and they are everywhere.

Telephones in Japan
The manner in which the Japanese have taken to the telephone is shown by the fact that there are now 150,000 telephones and firms awaiting the installation of telephones on their premises. The government, which in charge of the telephone system, is unable to keep pace with the demand for telephone service.

Those persons who have nothing to do keep the devil busy.

Paper Scarce in Britain

The shortage of paper in Britain is now approaching its climax. The Canadian military officers' orders are issued on half sheets, not paper only to be used where the latter is unsuitable to extend over such space. Small orders and long to be even. Whenever possible Letters to headquarters are to be sent by air. Attached slips and such are to be dispensed with whenever possible. Envelopes are to be sparingly used.

WRECKS

ON HORSE, CATTLE, ETC., QUICKLY CURED BY EGYPTIAN LINIMENT

Doyle & Co. Prop's, Niagara, Ont. (Free Sample on Request)

Boy Scout Notes

All Members are Enjoined to Discourage the Practice of Robbing Birds' Nests

The meeting of the Scouts' Council for the season will soon begin. The council has a number of members who are to be elected to the office of one of their duties is to protect the nests of birds and therefore boys in job is to refrain from robbing birds' nests. A few years ago a boy named John, who was a member of the Scouts, was found robbing birds' nests. He was expelled from the Scouts and his name was put in the list of boys who are to be expelled from the Scouts. The council has a number of members who are to be elected to the office of one of their duties is to protect the nests of birds and therefore boys in job is to refrain from robbing birds' nests.

Counter Check Or Sales Books

Mr. Merchants—
If you are not already using a Counter Check or Sales Book we suggest you get one. It will save you a great deal of trouble and expense. It will save you a great deal of trouble and expense. It will save you a great deal of trouble and expense.

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U.S. Spy Hunters

Five Hundred Thousand Men and Women Now Adding the Secret Service

Virtually the entire force of the United States government's civilian employees, approximately 500,000 men and women, has been summoned to the secret service of the United States.

The government has enlisted the services of every man and city of consequence throughout the country, whether or not they are working the full time of justice, and replies pledging unstinted aid are coming back in great numbers.

But the largest single force which the government has enlisted for the hunting down of spies, is the army of postmen. Under the postmen are working the letter carriers in the cities and the rural free delivery carriers in the country, a force of about 300,000 men.

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The Municipal Hospitals Acts

How to Incorporate a Hospital District and Provide for Operation of a Hospital

Under the Municipal Hospitals Act passed at the recent session of the Legislature, the Minister of Municipal Affairs is authorized to divide the Province into Hospital Districts. He is also charged with the responsibility of supplying plans, specifications, estimates, advice on sites and management and such other assistance as he may be able to give. The bringing into existence of a hospital depends upon the initiative of the people. When only one municipality is concerned, all that is necessary to initiate action is a petition signed by twenty-five electors and agreed to by the municipal council. When more than one council is concerned, the consent of the other council or councils is necessary, as well as the petition from the electors within the municipality. The preliminary work being done, the council shall appoint a hospital board. In the case of one municipality undertaking the work, the board shall consist of three members of the council and three electors not councillors. When the appointments are made the names are sent to the Minister who names a convener and the place and date of meeting for organization. The board has power—

- To appoint such officials as may be necessary and to fix the amount of remuneration;
- To determine the site and arrange for purchase of same;
- To arrange for the acquiring or erection of a suitable building;
- To make arrangements with any existing hospital, if preferred to undertake the establishment and maintenance of a separate institution;
- To engage medical practitioners and nurses;
- To arrange for financing the hospital, the preparation of estimates, etc., the municipality providing the money for any other municipal enterprises.

The levy for capital expenditure shall not be higher than two mills on the dollar. As soon as the plans are approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, the council shall prepare a by-law for submission to the electors, which must be voted on within three months. For full information as to how to arrange for and conduct a Municipal Hospital under this Act, apply to

JOHN PERRIE,
Deputy Minister of
Municipal Affairs,
Edmonton.

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THE MARKET

Prices Paid at The Elevators	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	2.00
No. 2 "	1.97
No. 3 "	1.92
Flax	2.55
Oats	.49
Barley	.50

OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday
 Preaching Service 7.30 p.m.
 Sunday School 2.30 p.m.
 Prayers 11 a.m.
 Lenten School 2.00 p.m.
 Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

Anything and Everything

One guess is that the Kaiser uses his Divine Right because his left has been crippled since birth.

In his forthcoming peace statement, Holloway is expected to demand the release of Ty Cobb who is wanted to decorate the right garden, and to steal home occasionally for the Potsdam Nine.

A FRAGRANT VICINITY
 (Hawarden, Ia. Independent)
 "The bride has made her home near the Meeter & Scott slaughter house west of town for several years."

Germany is plotting peace again according to the Amsterdam Tidy. A Tyd-bit as it were.

These two items got mixed up and appeared like this in the Grinnell Review.
 "Born, April 19th to Prof. and Mrs. J. P. Ryan, a daughter."
 "This experience suggests that simple scientific experiments performed by college students would furnish a very interesting program of entertainment in any community."

WHO'S GOT THE BUTTER?
 (Kansas City Star)
 "To the Star: Will you please help locate my husband, George Butson, who left home May 12. He is 30 years old. Mrs. George Butson."

Restaurants throughout the country are abolishing tooth picks from their tables as a measure of war economy. And yet some maintain that war is wholly evil.

In connection with the conference to be held by leaders of the different factions in Ireland Sir Edward Carson says, "Let us all go to the convention with open minds but Ulster shall not be coerced."

Beauty is often only powder deep.

It looks very much as if the "R. S. V. P." would be deleted from the invitation extended to us men to defend Canada.

Champion Wrestler in Our Town?

Local enthusiasts have at last arranged for a match, between Ernie May of Young, Sask., and our town boy, Major Conner. These wrestlers will grapple here on Friday evening, June 8th. Every fan will be there.

Who is Ernie May? He is the boy that threw Ecklund, who held the championship of Canada for the light heavy weight class, and he also pinned the gold medalist, Smiles. May has wrestled with Jack Taylor, who threw Cutler, and Clauson, a rival of Taylors. Taylor and Clauson are in the heavy weight class. These two men staged a contest in Oyen about two years ago.

Conner is in excellent form and May will have to work to throw him two falls out of the three. If Conner throws his opponent twice he will be the champion of that class. "Major" will step onto the mat at 170, and May will outweigh him by five lbs. Turn out on the evening of June 8th to see our man throw the champion. Major Conner well merits our confidence.

How is your subscription to The Oyen News?

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R. Hancock, Manager.

"Your Lumbermen"

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Loans to Farmers, Ranchers and Dairy-men may be obtained for a period of 30 yrs on first Mortgage Security.

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 Capital Authorized, \$5,000,000
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 Surplus \$3,500,000

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That one idle dollar on hand for which you have no particular need, will start a savings account in the Bank of Hamilton. Your ambition to get ahead financially will grow as your savings accumulate. Capital is the key that opens the door of success.



OYEN BRANCH
 G. J. Gibson, Manager

The Oyen Billiard Hall

We have one of the best and most up-to-date Billiard Halls in the west.

We carry at all times a large and well assorted stock of Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Candies, etc., and serve all kinds of Soft drinks.

Chas. A. Wilson Proprietor

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DRAWING AND CARTING. Charges Reasonable
 OYEN, ALTA.

To the Electors of the Constituency of Acadia

Dear Sir or Madam:—

At the Liberal Conservative Convention held in Cereel recently I had the honor to be chosen as their candidate to contest the riding of Acadia in the interests of the electors.

Below you will find a few of the principal progressive legislative measures I advocate and if elected will exert my every effort toward their institution with every hope of their success, the Conservative Party as a whole being pledged to these measures:

1. A constructive policy for a permanent road system throughout the province under competent engineers and free from all political influence.
2. The appointment of Civil Servants by an Independent Public Service Commission.
3. The extension of the Telephone System to meet the reasonable demands of the people.
4. Rural Free Hospitals financed by the proceeds of The Wild Land Tax and under the direct supervision of a Public Hospital Board appointed by the people through the Reeves of the municipalities.
5. The Recall or Imperative Mandate giving the people the same right as a private employer.

Present Government under the leadership of Premier Sifton has during its term of office developed autocratic tendencies which are certainly not in your interests as electors. Charges of graft have been made against the Premier and his Attorney-General and an investigation was asked for by the Conservative Party. This request was refused on a Party Vote, including your present member Mr. McGill who voted the straight party ticket against any inquiry, this being the only occasion in the history of the country that a government has refused an investigation of its affairs, from this you can draw your own conclusions as to whether or not a change of Government is needed in your interests.

Below I mention a few of the legislative measures that have been passed by the present Government presumably in the interests of the people of the province and invite your investigation of their merits:—

- "The Municipal Hospital Act." You pay for these benefits in your taxes, the Conservative party advocated their maintenance from the proceeds of the Wild Lands tax, which was refused by the Government. Does this procedure appeal to you?
- "The Woman Suffrage." After strenuous efforts on the part of the Conservative Party the present Government consented to grant the women of this Province equal franchise and the party earnestly request that the women of Alberta will use their vote and influence for honest and clean Government.
- "The Theatre Tax." Supposed to be in aid of the war, but is really turned into the general funds of the Province. Why?

Do you consider that the policy of road building as carried on by the present Government has been of any benefit to you? How much of your money has been spent on road work in your district. Think if over. Under the policy advocated by the Conservative Party a system of trunk roads would be built and all monies collected through automobile licenses would be turned into the municipalities in which they were collected, for use on the roads in those municipalities, after the necessary charges for administration of the licenses have been deducted. Does this appeal to you?

The election has been called for Thursday, June 7th, 1917, and on that day I earnestly request that you do your duty to yourself and the Province and cast your vote in favor of the Party which has always fought for the rights of the people against the mismanagement and extravagance of the present Government.

As a supporter of the Conservative Government and in your interests, I ask your vote and influence on June 7th, and if elected will honestly endeavor to maintain the principles I advocate above.

Yours for a change of Government in the interests of the people,

E. G. JONAS.



Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000 Reserved Fund \$6,500,000
Total Assets over \$11,000,000

ASSISTANCE FOR FARMERS

Do you require any money to purchase seed grain, pay wages, or other expenses of putting in the crop? The services of this Bank are at your disposal. Do not hesitate to let us know your requirements.

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B. E. KELLY, Oyen Branch Manager.

Just arrived another consignment of our famous No. 550 team harness at \$57.50 per set, price guaranteed until July 15th.

\$57.50

Thos. Thompson,
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OYEN, Alberta

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We can give you the best
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RED SENTRY GARAGE

SPAULDING & MARSHALL, Props.

Some Excel Items

S. B. Gullekson and his sister were called away on account of serious illness of their father.

J. F. Abbott is now a notary public.

Frank Thayer and J. Abbott have purchased Rumely engines.

An error was made last week in mentioning that it was the National elevator instead of the Home elevator that was under construction.

The ten year old Louis Hayes was badly injured last Wednesday while riding a saddle horse to school. He fell from the animal sustaining a broken arm and sprained ankles. Despite the many injuries, the plucky lad crawled a quarter of a mile to the home of Carl White. Medical aid was summoned.

Swenson & Lees put through a deal last week, whereby A. E. McLelland of Nokomis, Sask., became the owner of the Mrs. Reddan farm near Olds.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

John P. Kerr Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate of Ontario
Veterinary College

Main St. Oyen, Alta.

F. C. McClean Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public

Agent for Holland-Canada Mortgage Co. and Netherlands Transatlantic Mortgage Company
Oyen, Alberta

J. J. Kelly, L. L. B.

Barrister, Solicitor and
Notary Public
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Dentist

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Edward Shaw

Experienced

Auctioneer and Valuer
License for Alberta and Saskatchewan
Benton, Alberta.

Sacred Heart Church.

Regular services will be held First Sunday in each month at 10.30 a.m.

Rev. W. F. Bowlton.

Local Items

Get out and vote!

For careful and up-to-date dental work see Dr. Taylor, the Dentist, Alaska.

On and after May 1st, the Peterson Motor Company Ltd. have placed their gasoline and repair business on a cash basis.

Holland Canada Mortgage Co. Money to lend on improved farms at the rate of eight per cent. Mr. F. C. McClean, Barrister, is agent for the Oyen district.

Pte. Wm. Green of the 175th Battalion was admitted to the King George Hospital in London suffering from gas poisoning. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Green.

Pte. George Espeland, who resided on land near Oyen, two years ago, was killed in action.

Under auspices of the Spring Valley Women's Institute, a successful tea was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. McAllister on Thursday afternoon. Thirty dollars will be handed to the Red Cross Fund.

Mrs. J. Heckmiller has received word that her son, Morley, of the 175th Battalion has been wounded.

Mrs. H. Church left last week for Sherbrooke, Ontario, where she will spend the summer.

Dr. Paul has moved his office to his residence, which was the P. H. Peterson property.

Wavy Plain News

A nice rain visited this vicinity Saturday evening.

The Fenner family left Friday last for British Columbia, where Mr. Fenner has made the purchase of a farm.

Candidates are getting rather sociable around here now.

Some of our boys are getting nervous—conspiration.

INFANT RECEIVED

FATAL INJURIES

Mr. and Mrs. John Othen were out driving Sunday and the team became frightened. The couple were thrown out of the buggy. Mrs. Othen had the three months old infant, Mary Elizabeth, in her arms, and when they struck the earth the child received fatal injuries. The doctor was immediately called but before his arrival, life was extinct.

The remains were interred in the Oyen cemetery Monday. The Rev. Mr. Webster conducted the services at the church and at the grave. The sympathies of the entire community are with the bereaved parents.



when you look sadly over your fields of ruined grain, it will be too late to think of what a comfort a

Hail Insurance Policy

in the Hartford Fire Insurance Co.

would have been. The time to think about such things is right now before the storm comes. Hartford Hail Insurance costs little and will add much to your peace of mind. May we talk to you? Set at

ROY CLEMENS,

Agent for OYEN and District

The Alberta Livery Barn

Just Arrived a Car Load of
Mares and Geldings
Weighing from 1250 to 1650 lbs.

Auto Livery

For sale two good Saddle Ponies
suitable for children.

Gibson Bros.
Oyen, Alta.

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FUEL at one-half the price means
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Bear in mind that the OilPull is the only tractor that will successfully burn kerosene and cheaper oil fuels at all loads, under all conditions—all the time.

The OilPull, through deep plowing and thorough soil working, is increasing crops for a great many Dicks owners—in some cases doubling them. Burning kerosene, the OilPull adds this increase to your bank account at the lower possible cost.

A more dependable tractor than the OilPull can't be bought and you will find it able to take care of all your power jobs, whether draw-bar or belt. Two sizes, 15-30 and 30-60 horsepower.

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Sole Agents,

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Next door to the Delicatessen

Fresh, Salted and Smoked Meats
Best prices paid for Hides

C. E. BEARD

Public Auction Sale

—OF—

70 Cows and Heifers

As I intend to breed pure-bred cattle exclusively, I have decided to sell my entire herd of grade cows and heifers by auction

On Tuesday, June 12th., 1917

Commencing at 10 a.m. at the Ranch, on Sec. 20-26-2, 4th., 10 miles south west of Sibbald and 14 miles south east of Oyen.

21 head of Cows of Shorthorn breeding, 5 and 6 years old, with calves at foot.

18 Grade Aberdeen Angus, 3 year olds, from above cows, with calves at foot.

15 Grade Aberdeen Angus Cows, 2 years old, with calves at foot.

11 yearling Aberdeen Angus heifers.

The two year olds and over have all been bred again to a \$600 Aberdeen Angus bull.

Now is the chance to get into good stock which are right ready to make you money. Remember the date June 12th, 1917. Lunch will be served at noon.

TERMS: One half cash, balance 1st. November, 1917. Three per cent discount will be allowed for cash on credit accounts.

Auctioneer
S. W. Paisley,
Lacombe.

Proprietor
H. Hallman,
Acadia Valley

Swat the Fly

Get Your—

Screen Doors

NOW

We can show you a line of doors in different styles and sizes that will suit your needs. If you are from Missouri, come in and let us show you.

Come in and see our line of **OIL STOVES**, we can supply your needs at a fair price.

Are you Building? Let us figure on the hardware for you.

Acheson Hardware

At the rear of
McPherson & Price's Old Stand

To the Electors of the Constituency of Acadia

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

Having been nominated by a representative Convention of the Electors of this Constituency as an Independent Candidate for the coming Provincial Election, I take this opportunity of soliciting your vote, influence and hearty support.

The recent revelations in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia are irrefutable proof of the corruption in the Governments of those Provinces caused by "blind partisanship," and there are already more than rumors in the air that the same is only too true of Alberta. The spirit of the times demands that the men who are to assume the reins of Government in this and every other part of the world shall be men of principle, men of an independent mind, rather than blind Party followers.

If elected, it shall be my earnest endeavor to do all in my power to help establish a clean, honest administration of the affairs of the Province, an administration that shall be freed from all the evils of the patronage system and other weaknesses developed and maintained by the blind partisanship of the men elected in the past to our different Legislative Assemblies.

On behalf of my supporters, among whom are some of the best men and women of the Constituency, I again solicit your support, trusting that our efforts to establish a higher standard of government and of citizenship in the Province shall not be in vain.

Yours sincerely,

Lorne Proudfoot

We, as Independent Electors of this Constituency stand for—

1. The Abolition of the Patronage System.
2. The appointment of all civil servants by merit, rather than by political pull.
3. That there shall be full publicity of all political campaign funds and contributions and their expenditure, both before and after election.
4. The Right to Re-Call any member of the Provincial Legislature.
5. The Initiative and Referendum.
6. Full provincial autonomy in liquor legislation, including manufacture, import and export.
7. Government ownership and control of Railroads, Telegraphs, Telephone, Steamship Lines and all other means of public transportation and communication.
8. No more natural resources to be alienated from the Crown, but brought into use only under short term leases in which the interests of the public shall be properly safeguarded, such leases to be granted only by public auction.
9. Women to be given equal rights with men under homestead regulations.
10. Candidate chosen by this Convention, if elected, to forward to the newspapers of the Constituency a weekly report of the session.

It was our purpose to visit every town and rural community to discuss these questions with you, but the Sifton Administration by bringing on the election with such short notice has made it impossible for us to do so. Why should they put the Province to the expense of an election almost a year before such election is necessary? And why should they deny to the electors of this and every other Constituency in the Province the opportunity of making themselves familiar with the issues at stake? These are questions which each Elector must answer. We leave it in your hands.

Youngstown, Friday Evening June 1st.
Chinook, Arm's Hall, Saturday, June 2d.
Oyen, Monday Evening, June 4th.
Sibbald, Tuesday Evening, June 5th.

Some meetings will be held at other places, dates to be announced later. These meetings will be addressed by Mr. Lorne Proudfoot, Independent Candidate; Mr. R. N. Mangins, President of Ind. Assoc.; Mr. R. Fraser, Vice Pres.; Mr. Robt. Gardiner, member of the Executive, and others. Meetings begin at 8 p. m. sharp. All are invited to attend—a special invitation being extended to opposing candidates.

LIBERAL MEETING

(Continued from page one)

in order to send them to France where they could be the means by which it was made possible for munitions to be transported to our boys in the trenches. He promised the people that as it became possible the Government would extend the telephones and railroads to where ever they were most needed—and they (the people) knew where that was.

He also showed how unfair it would be to delude the alien who had become a naturalized British subject if he be a law abiding citizen, from voting, maintaining that he being not responsible for the acts of the government of his native country, and had every right to vote in the country of his adoption. The Premier referred to our member, J. A. McCall, and excited much laughter by telling the audience how Mr. McCall was constantly petitioning the Government on behalf of his constituency firmly believing that this was no ordinary constituency and the people were no ordinary people, but deserving of special benefits.

The meeting was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem after which three cheers were given for the Premier and Mr. McCall.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

STRAYED—From 1225, west of 4th, bay colt three years old. Two white hind feet and one white front foot. White stripe on face. Wall eyed. Weight about 1200 lbs. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery. A. G. Holmes, Alask, Sask.

LOST—A Rainproof Overcoat and a pair of gloves between Pearson Motor Company garage and C. V. Johnson's house. Finder please return same to the Office of the Oyen News.

STRAYED—on to section 22-24 on May 17, one buckskin mare, white face, halter on. Owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. A. B. Heath, Oyen.

STRAYED—from south 16-21 W. 4, two clydesdale mares, brown and bay, ages 8 and 10, no brands. Each weight about 1500, brown has front feet turned in, white faces and hind feet, \$10 reward. D. P. Robinson, Sibbald.

WANTED—horses or cattle to pasture for the summer. A. T. Affleck, Seal, Alta.

STRAYED—from Oyen on May 23th, one bay mare, 3 years old, stripes on face, four white feet, brand of Z X on left shoulder. Rev. Webster of Oyen the owner.

IMPOUNDED—in the pound kept by me in Oyen at the Alford Stables, one gray gelding, six years old, no visible brands. A. Gilman.

Wanted Tenders—for the construction of basement 60 x 10 six feet deep, lot 5 block 6 Main Street, Oyen. Work to be completed by June 30th, 1917. Tenders to be mailed to the undersigned. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. E. Todd
Oyen, Alberta, May 23, 1917.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Livery Barn, electric lights installed, every thing modern. Rental of \$25.00 per month, lease to expire November 6th, 1917. Apply B. W. Moore, Oyen.

FOR SALE—20 young pigs, B. Cunningham, 3-4-4 Palomares, Alta.

NOTICE is hereby given that one dark gray mare 2 years old, price paid in face, but feet white, hind feet brands on both hips, weight about 9 cwt., gentle.

Also one strawberry run pony, six years old, white face and hind feet, indistinct brand on right hip, weight about 800, gentle. They were impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the S.W. 27-24-14 on the 15th day of May, 1917. A. Gilman. Given under my hand at Palomares, Alberta, this twentieth day of May, 1917. J. O. Jarvinen, Poundkeeper.

Benton News

Ed. Shaw has returned from Calgary, where he was on business.

E. G. Talbot was in Benton Saturday.

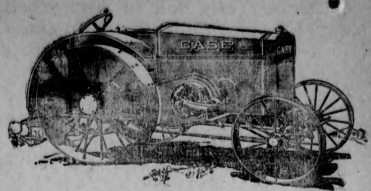
H. H. Kramine left Saturday for his farm near Alask.

Mrs. D. H. Warren and children are in Calgary.

A dance will be held in the Benton Hall on Friday, June 1. Everybody welcome. Women please bring cakes. We'll hope this dance will be a successful one. Admission fifty cents.

Miss Collis Humphries is the guest of Miss Velma Shaw.

Z. W. Dean, inspector for the Hartford Fire Insurance Company was in town and appointed J. Howard Alexander as the local agent for the company. Mr. Dean is very much pleased at having his agency placed with this progressive and reliable agent. The Hartford is 107 years old and is the great Insurance Corporation who at the close of business on December 31st, 1916, had paid out in losses \$198,914,364.97 and is financially impregnable. The Hartford losses have been fairly met and promptly paid for over a century. It has grown great as the country has grown great, by steadfast adherence to the traditional integrity of its founders, "Service and Satisfaction."



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John Deere Farm Implements
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Full line of Deere shares also
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J. W. Robinson,

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Are You Interested in Tractors?

There are now several of the famous 10-20 Titan Kerosene Tractors working in the Oyen District. The only way to judge a Tractor is to see it working.

Any time you have an hour or two to spare when in town, call at my office and it will be a pleasure to take you out to see these machines in actual operation.

C. A. GILDERS,

Agent for the Titan 10-20, 15-30, and 20-60
Kerosene Tractors, C. C. Snowdon's Oil.

Agent Oyen, Alberta

Land Wanted

We want several quarters, halves or sections of land located near Oyen and adjoining districts. Call or write describing your holdings fully.

We have a few good propositions, in "close to town" farms. Everyone a good buy. Better look them over.

Carl Swenson,

Office at the Harness Shop Oyen.

Farm Lands For Sale

I am in communication with several men who are looking for good farm lands. Anyone desirous of selling their farms cannot do better than to list your land with me.

I have also some good snaps in farm lands. Come in and let us talk over these splendid propositions.

B. W. MOORE,

OYEN,

ALTA.